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Notice of Lifting of Suspension Date:

TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

FROM: { Director AD/CVD & Revenue Policy & Programs }

RE: SCOPE RULING ON PETROLEUM WAX CANDLES FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA

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TO: CMC DIRECTORS,
PORT DIRECTORS

FROM: DIRECTOR, IMPORT OPERATIONS

RE: SCOPE RULING ON PETROLEUM WAX CANDLES FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA

- 1. ON 3/16/98, IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST BY AMERICAN DRUG STORES (ADS), THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE ISSUED A FINAL SCOPE RULING THAT SPHERICAL WAX VENEER CANDLES ARE NOT WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY ORDER COVERING PETROLEUM WAX CANDLES FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA (A-570-504).
- 2. BECAUSE THE IMPORTED PRODUCT IS SPHERICAL IN SHAPE, AND
 BECAUSE A SPHERE IS NOT ONE OF THOSE SHAPES SPECIFIED IN THE
 SCOPE OF THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY ORDER, THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT
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FOUND THIS PRODUCT TO BE OUTSIDE THE SCOPE OF THE ORDER ON PETROLEUM WAX CANDLES FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA.

- 3. EFFECTIVE 03/16/98, TERMINATE SUSPENSION AND LIQUIDATE ALL UNLIQUIDATED ENTRIES, REGARDLESS OF ENTRY DATE, OF ADS'S SPHERICAL WAX VENEER CANDLES LISTED ABOVE.
- 4. REFUND ANY CASH DEPOSITS WITH INTEREST AND RELEASE ANY BONDS RELATING TO THE SPHERICAL WAX VENEERS LISTED ABOVE.
- 5. THE ASSESSMENT OF ANTIDUMPING DUTIES BY THE CUSTOMS SERVICE ON ENTRIES OF THIS MERCHANDISE IS SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 778 OF THE TARIFF ACT OF 1930. SECTION 778 REQUIRES THAT CUSTOMS PAY INTEREST ON OVERPAYMENTS, OR ASSESS INTEREST ON UNDER PAYMENTS, OF THE REQUIRED AMOUNTS DEPOSITED AS ESTIMATED ANTIDUMPING DUTIES. THE INTEREST PROVISIONS ARE NOT APPLICABLE TO CASH OR BONDS POSTED AS ESTIMATED ANTIDUMPING DUTIES BEFORE THE DATE OF PUBLICATION OF THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY ORDER. INTEREST SHALL BE CALCULATED FROM THE DATE PAYMENT OF ESTIMATED ANTIDUMPING DUTIES IS REQUIRED THROUGH THE DATE OF LIQUIDATION. THE RATE AT WHICH SUCH INTEREST IS PAYABLE IS THE RATE IN EFFECT UNDER SECTION 6621 OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1954 FOR SUCH PERIOD.
- 6. CONTINUE TO SUSPEND LIQUIDATION OF ENTRIES OF PETROLEUM WAX CANDLES FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA SUBJECT TO THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY ORDER COVERING PETROLEUM WAX CANDLES FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA.
- 7. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CUSTOMS OFFICERS, PLEASE CONTACT VIA E-MAIL, THROUGH THE APPROPRIATE SUPERVISORY CHANNELS, OTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY LIAISON, USING THE ATTRIBUTE "HQ OAB." IMPORTING PUBLIC AND INTERESTED PARTIES SHOULD CONTACT STEPHANIE ARTHUR AT 202-482-6312, OF THE OFFICE OF ANTIDUMPING/COUNTERVAILING DUTY ENFORCEMENT, IMPORTADMINISTRATION, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION, DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE.

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8. THERE ARE NO RESTRICTIONS ON THE RELEASE OF THIS INFORMATION.

PAUL SCHWARTZ

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